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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Bernd Kuhn et al. Docket: 14836-53545  
Serial No.: 10/562,308 Confirmation No.: 3746  
Intl. Filing Date: 25 June 2004 Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Due Date: January 6, 2008 Examiner: Unassigned  
Title: OPTIMIZED DETERMINATION OF VOLTAGE CHANGES USING A  
VOLTAGE-SENSITIVE DYE

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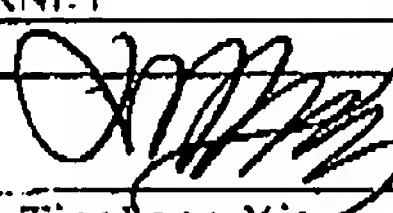
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## CLAIMS AS FILED

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Total Claims				
-	20	=	x 25.00	
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-	3	=	x 100.00	
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Applicant believes that the submission of these papers complete the filing of all necessary papers and respectfully requests that the referenced application be passed along for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371  
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/23/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/23/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/23/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/23/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/23/2005
- Specification filed on 12/23/2005
- Claims filed on 12/23/2005
- Abstracts filed on 12/23/2005
- Drawings filed on 12/23/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

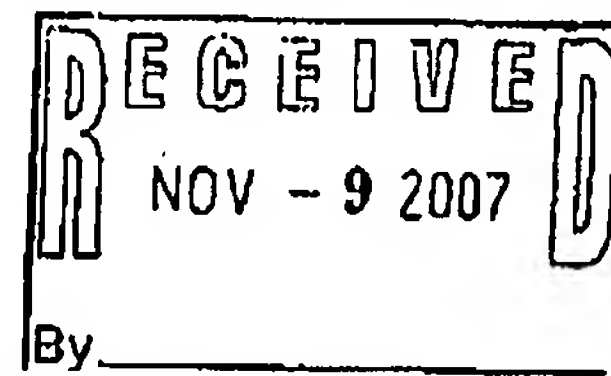
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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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